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EXAMINING GROUP 2116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title: Facilitating Cold Reset and Warm Reset Tasking in a Computer System

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION OF JUNE 13, 2006

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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of June 13, 2006, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

Please amend the case as listed below.